



COMING AUCTION

Floor and Mail Bidding

NOVEMBER 1st and 2nd, 1957

BILTMORE HOTEL DAYTON, OHIO

Catalogues for this sale were mailed the first week of October. If you are on our Auction Mailing List, you should have received your copy by now.

This is not a spectacular sale but does include a number of rarities, choice early Uncirculated and Proof coins as well as many of the scarce circulated ones.

A FEW TEMPTING ITEMS:

1797 Dollar, small letters
Complete Commemorative sets
Uncirculated rolls early U.S. coins
1856 Flying Eagle Cent
Panama-Pacific set, both slugs.
1879 \$4.00 Stella
Choice early Dimes
Early Proof Sets - 1871 - 1910
Biblical coins
Choice Foreign Gold and Silver
Most all U. S. minor coins
1796 and 1815 Half Dollars

These are but a few of the outstanding items; however, a vast majority of the 2,651 Lots offered is material desired and within the reach of the average collector. And he is the customer who keeps us in business. His orders or bids are appreciated and given our personal attention.

Many collectors and dealers will attend this sale. Hope YOU can make it too. You are welcome.

HALF CENTS

1795 Fair to Good.....	7.50
1800 Fine 8.50; V. Fine.....	12.50
1802 F-V. Fine, rare condition..	75.00
1802 Fine plus but has gauge in field.....	37.50
1803 V. Good 3.00; Fine.....	5.00
1804 Pl. 4, stemless. V. F. plus	6.00
1804 Cros. 4, stemless, V. F...	9.00
1804 Cros. 4, stems. V. Fine..	6.50
1804 Spiked chin, V. Fine plus.	7.50
1805 Lg. or sm. date, Fine....	5.00
1805 Large 5, Ext. Fine.....	15.00
1806 Sm. 6, V. Gd. 3.00; V. F..	8.50
1806 Sm. 6. Ext. Fine.....	12.50
1806 Lg. 6. V. Gd. 3.00; Fine.	5.00
1807 V. Good to Fine.....	4.00
1808 V. Gd. 4.00; Fine.....	7.50
1809 V. Gd. 2.50; Fine.....	3.75
1810 Good 3.50; V. Good.....	5.00
1810 Ext. Fine. A rare date when better than Fine.....	25.00
1811 Good 10.00; Abt. Fine ...	22.50
1825 V. Good 2.50; Fine.....	3.75
1826 Fine 3.50; V. Fine.....	5.00
1828 12 Star, Fine 6.50; V. F..	10.00
1828 13 Stars, Fine 3.00; V. F.	4.50
1829 Fine 3.50; V. Fine.....	5.00
1832 V. Fine 4.00; Ext. Fine...	6.00
1833 V. Fine 3.50; Abt. Unc...	7.50
1834 V. Fine 3.50; Unc.....	10.00
1835 Fine 2.50; V. Fine.....	3.25
1849 V. Good 3.00; V. Fine...	8.50
1850 V. Good 3.00; V. Fine...	7.50
1851 V. Fine 4.50; Ext. Fine..	6.00
1853 V. Fine 4.25; Abt. Unc...	7.50
1854 Choice Uncirculated.....	12.50
1854 V. Fine 4.50; Abt. Unc...	7.50
1855 Fine 3.25; V. Fine.....	4.50
1856 Choice Uncirculated.....	12.50
1856 Fine 3.75; V. Fine.....	5.00
1857 Fine 7.50; V. Fine.....	10.00

CHOICE

Odds and Ends

1778-1779 Rhode Island Ship Token. A Colonial of Dutch origin. Admiral Howe's flagship; Rev: Troops landing. Ext. Fine.....	\$ 35.00
1776 Continental Pewter Dollar. E.G. FECIT variety. Unc and very rare.....	190.00
DOLLAR 1799, B-12a, nearly Ext. Fine.....	38.50
-- 1801, B-1a, V. Fine.....	40.00
-- 1803 Lg. 3, V. Fine.....	37.50
-- 1846 About Unc.....	22.50
-- 1847 Choice Ext. Fine.....	20.00
QUARTER 1880 Br. Proof.....	35.00
-- 1881 Brill. Proof.....	37.50
-- 1882 Brill. Proof.....	35.00
-- 1887 Brill. Proof.....	50.00
-- 1894-S Unc. Proof-like gem..	35.00
-- 1896-S Mint, V. Good plus..	35.00
-- 1915-S Mint, Br. Unc.....	25.00
-- 1916 Standing Liberty, Fine to Very Fine	100.00
-- 1923-S Mint, Unc. full head..	90.00
20¢ PIECE, 1878 Br. Proof.....	145.00
HALF DIME 1797 13 Stars, choice V. Fine, well struck.....	90.00
-- 1873-S Mint, Br. Unc.....	7.50
3¢ SILVER 1863 Br. Proof.....	67.50
-- 1864 Brill. Proof.....	75.00
-- 1866 Uncirculated.....	20.00
-- 1871 Brill. Proof.....	30.00
-- 1873 Br. Proof.....	50.00
3¢ NICKEL 1881 Br. Pr.	10.00
-- 1882 Br. Proof.....	10.00
-- 1883 Br. Proof.....	8.00



AN EARLY CANADIAN BANK BANK NOTES AND HARD CASH

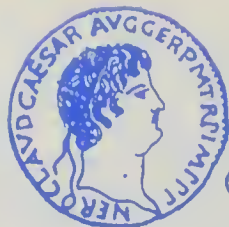
Most of the present generation who use the services of the chartered banks take it for granted that these institutions have always been available and dependable even in the pioneer days. But this has not always been the case. Money in early Canada was not only scarce but it was difficult to find a dependable, trustworthy place to deposit it.

The people of Canada in early 19th Century were a hard-working, industrious folk. On the whole money was hard to come by and it was even harder for one to find a place to keep it. The banks in those days were not always the best place to keep one's savings. Too many folded up after a few years operation and passed out of existence and their paper currency became worthless. People lost their faith in such institutions and kept their cash in the sugar bowl on the pantry shelf.

Take the Bank of Upper Canada for example. Started in York, U. C. (now Toronto, Ont.) in 1821, it was the first and most influential bank in Ontario and had the government account. The management of this bank was often blind, reckless and ignorant. It was loaded with large accommodation loans on which heavy losses were taken. Its methods were old-fashioned and it was saturated in politics. and although the bank filled an honorable place in the early years, being regarded by the country people as about equal of the Bank of England.

Fundamentally it was the coming of the railroad in the late 1850's that was to precipitate its undoing, through the shifting of trade routes and stifling of water traffic and decline of business in the old lake towns where branches of the bank were located. New places and new industries developed on the railway lines and the newer banks soon left the Upper Canada bank behind in the race for new business. In 1866, shortly after the American Civil War, it failed and loss to the public was about \$300,000.00.

The note issues of the Bank of Upper Canada were of large size, beautifully engraved by the best engraving firms of its day. They had a large circulation. It was after the failure of this bank that its artistically engraved notes became worthless pieces of paper in the hands of the people who cried out against the injustices of the bank



ROMAN IMPERATORIAL DENARII

All With Portraits

(The Denarius is a Roman silver coin first issued in 268 B. C. The Imperial Denarii listed here all have portrait of Emperor, etc. on obverse. Where no description is given, the type of reverse is of our selection.)



AUGUSTUS 27 B.C.-14 A.D.

Price on request..... --

TIBERIUS 14-37 A.D. The famous "Tribute Penny."

Fine 10.00; Very Fine..... 15.00

NERO 54-68 A.D.

V. Good 5.00; Fine..... 10.00

GALBA 68-69 A.D.

Fine-V. Fine..... 10.00

OTHO 69 A.D. (3 months)

Fine 10.00; V. Fine..... 15.00

VITELLIUS 69 A. D.

V. Good 5.00; V. Fine..... 12.50

VESPASIAN 69-79 A. D.

Fine 2.50; V. Fine..... 4.00

TITUS 79-81 A. D.

Fine 3.00

DOMITIAN 81-96 A. D.

Fine 2.00; V. Fine..... 3.50

NERVA 96-98 A. D.

Fine 3.00

(On many of the following coins we have listed a number of reverses of special interest. We can also furnish these coins showing many of the other Deities, most of them at the same price, but simply too numerous to list. All have portrait of ruler on obverse.)

TRAJAN 98-117 A. D.

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

Bust of Sol, Fine..... 5.00

Horse and rider, Fine..... 3.50

Column, Fine-V. Fine..... 5.00

Nerva seated, Fine..... 3.75

HADRIAN 117-138 A. D.

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

Romulus walking, Fine plus. 5.00

Emperor and Felicity, Fine.. 3.50

Emperor and Fortuna, Fine.. 3.50

Hadrian seated on dais, Fine.. 4.00

Egypt reclining, Fine..... 3.75

Emperor and Trajan, Fine... 3.50

SABINA (wife of Hadrian)

Fine 3.50; V. Fine..... 6.00

AN EARLY CANADIAN BANK (Continued)

and undermining their faith and trust in banks. A token issue of copper coins of the period reflect the attitude of the people in the inscription on the reverse of these tokens: "Pure copper preferable to paper."

--Pelbe

ANTONINUS PIUS 138-161 A. D.

Fine 1.50; V.F. 2.50; Ex.Fine 3.75

Bust M.Aurelius, F-V.Fine.. 4.00

Piety at altar, F-V.Fine..... 3.00

Temple, Fine-V. Fine..... 3.00

Priestly tools, V. Fine..... 5.00

Annona, Fine-V. Fine..... 3.50

Diana standing, Fine..... 2.50

Pyre, V. Fine..... 3.50

FAUSTINA, Mater (wife of Plus)

Fine 2.00; V. Fine..... 3.00

Temple, Fine 2.50; V.Fine.. 3.75

MARCUS AURELIUS 161-180 A.D.

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

Young head, Fine 2.50; V.F.. 4.00

Armenia, Fine-V. Fine..... 10.00

Eagle, Fine-V. Fine..... 3.00

Mars, V. Fine..... 3.50

FAUSTINA, FILIA (wife of Aurelius)

Fine 2.50; V. Fine..... 4.00

LUCIUS VERUS 161-169 A.D.

Fine 3.00; V. Fine..... 4.50

LUCILLA (wife of Verus)

Fine 3.00; V. Fine..... 4.50

COMMODUS 180-192 A. D.

Fine 2.00; V. Fine..... 3.50

Young head, V. Fine..... 4.50

CRISPINA, (wife of Commodus)

Fine, 3.00; V. Fine..... 5.00

SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS 193-211 A.D.

Choice Ext. Fine..... 3.00

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

Jupiter standing, Ext. Fine... 4.00

Victory Britain, V. Fine..... 5.00

Africa standing, V. Fine.... 3.50

Crescent and stars, V.Fine.. 5.00

Emperor on horse, V.Fine... 3.50

Figure on lion, Ext. Fine.... 5.00

Elephant, V. Fine..... 7.50

JULIA DOMNA, (wife of Severus)

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

CARACALLA 211-217 A. D.

Choice Ext. Fine..... 3.50

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

Victory standing, Unc..... 6.00

Emperor on horseback, V.F.. 3.50

Priestly tools, V. Fine..... 3.50

Security standing, V. Fine.... 3.00

Caracalla and soldier, V.F... 3.50

PLAUTILLA, (wife of Caracalla)

Fine- V. Fine..... 3.00

GETA 209-212 A. D.

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

MACRINUS 217-218 A. D.

V. Good 3.50; V. Fine..... 10.00

Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back

IMPERIAL DENARII

ELAGABALUS 218-222 A. D.

Fine 1.00; V. Fine..... 1.50
Emperor at altar, V. Fine... 2.00
Pax, Victory, Salus, etc. V.F.. 2.00

JULIA PAULA, (first wife of Elagabalus)

Very Fine 7.50

AQUILIA SEVERA (second wife)

Fine, rare..... 10.00

JULIA SOAEMIES (Elagabalus' mother)

Fine 2.50; V. Fine..... 3.75

Venus seated, V. Fine..... 4.00

JULIA MAESA (Grandmother)

Fine 2.00; V. Fine..... 3.50

Juno standing, V. Fine plus.. 7.50

Piety standing, V. Fine..... 4.00

SEVERUS ALEXANDER 222-235 A.D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

Jupiter, Mars, Annona, Sol and

most other Dieties, V.F. ea.. 2.50

ORBIANA (wife of Severus)

V. Fine plus..... 25.00

JULIA MAMAEA (Severus' mother)

Fine 2.00; V. Fine..... 3.00

Juno standing, Fine-V. Fine.. 2.50

MAXIMINUS I, 235-238 A. D.

V. Fine 3.00; Ext. Fine.... 5.00

PAULINA (wife of Maximinus)

Fine 15.00; V. Fine..... 25.00

MAXIMUS (son of Maximinus)

V. Good 5.00; V. Fine..... 12.50

BALBINUS 238 A.D.

V. Fine..... 15.00

PUPIENUS 238 A. D.

Choice V. Fine..... 20.00

GORDIAN III, 238-244 A. D.

V. Fine 2.50; Ext. Fine... 4.00



ROMAN IMPERIAL ANTONINIANI

(The Antoniniani is a Roman Double Denarius.)

It derives its name from M. Aurelius Antoninus Caracalla who introduced it in 215 A.D. and is distinguished from the Denarii by the fact that the Emperor's head bears a radiated crown, or a crescent under the head of the Empress. Originally of good silver, it was gradually debased until after Gallienus, when it was little more than a silvered copper coin. It was abolished by Constantine the Great. All coins listed have portrait of ruler.)

CARACALLA 211-217 A.D.

Fine 2.50; V. Fine..... 3.50

Venus standing, V. Fine.... 4.00

Lion, Cos. III, Fine..... 7.50

ELAGABALUS 218-222 A. D.

Mars or Victory, V. Fine.. 3.75

PUPIENUS 238 A. D.

Clasped hands, V. Fine.... 10.00

GORDIANUS III 238-244 A. D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

Mars, Fortuna, Sol, Pax,

Very Fine, each..... 2.50

Equity, Victory, Apollo,

Fides, V. Fine, each..... 2.50

(Also other Dieties at same price)

PHILIP I 244-249 A. D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

Felicity, Security, Equity,

all V. Fine, each..... 2.00

Victory, Annona, Valor, V.F. 2.00

Wolf and twins, V. Fine... 6.00

Elephant, V. Fine..... 7.50

Antelope, V. Fine..... 7.50

Lion standing, V. Fine.... 7.50

OTACILIA SEVERA, (wife of Philip)

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.50

Juno, Piety or Concordia, V.F. 2.50

Hippopotamus, V. Fine.... 6.00

PHILIP II (son) 244-249 A.D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

Sol, Jupiter, Pax, V. Fine, ea.. 2.50

TRAJAN DECIUS 249-251 A. D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

Victory, Genius, Abundance,

Very Fine, each..... 2.00

Dacia standing, V. Fine... 3.50

Emperor on horseback, V.F. 3.00

ETRUSCILLA (wife of Decius)

Fine 3.00; V. Fine..... 5.00

HERENNIUS ETRUSCUS (son)

Fine 2.00; V. Fine..... 3.50

Clasped hands, or Priestly

tools, V. Fine, each..... 4.00

Apollo or Mercury, V. Fine. 3.50

TREBONIANUS GALLUS 251-254 A.D.

Fine 1.25; V.F. 2.00; X.F.. 3.00

Juno, Apollo or Victory, V.F. 2.50

VOLUSIAN 252-254 A.D.

Fine 2.00; V. Fine..... 3.00

Felicity, Piety, Concordia,

Very Fine, each..... 5.00

Emperor standing, V. F. 3.50

Uncirculated..... 12.50

AEMILIAN 253-254 A. D.

V. Gd. 2.75; Fine 5.00; V.F.. 8.50

Jupiter, Roma, Spes, Fine, ea. 5.00

Mars standing, V. Fine..... 9.00



VALERIAN I 254-260 A. D.

Fine 1.00; V.F. 1.50; X.F.. 2.50

Apollo with Lyre, V. Fine... 2.50

Apollo with Bow, V. Fine... 2.50

Pax, Salus, Fides, V.F. ea... 2.00

Jupiter, Victory, Ex. Fine, ea. 2.50

Emperor and Kybele stdg. V.F. 2.50

MARINIANA (wife of Valerian)

Peacock, Fine 5.00; V.F. 7.50

Same, V. Good..... 2.75

GALLIENUS 253-268 A. D.

Fine 1.00; V.F. 1.50; X.F.. 2.00

Eagle between standards, V.F. 2.50

Temple of Mars, V. Fine... 2.00

Diana, Concordia, or Sol, V.F. 1.50

Lion, head radiated, V. Fine. 3.00

Clasped hands, for Peace, V.F. 2.00

Jupiter standing on altar, V.F. 3.00

Trophy and two prisoners, V.F. 2.50

SALONINA (wife of Gallienus)

Fine 1.00; V.F. 1.50; Ex. F... 2.50

Venus, Concordia, Pax, Juno

Very Fine, each..... 2.00

Dea, Segetina in Temple, V.F. 3.50

Gallienus and Salonina, V.F.. 2.00

VALERIAN II (son of Gallienus)

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

Jupiter on goat, V. Fine.... 5.00

Valerian on eagle, V. Fine.. 6.00

Priestly tools, V. Fine..... 3.50

POSTUMUS 259-267 A. D.

Fine 1.00; V.F. 1.50; Ex. F.. 2.50

Neptune, Mars, Piety, X.F. ea 3.50

Galley, V. Fine..... 4.00

Diana, Jupiter, Ext. Fine, ea. 3.50

VICTORINUS 265-270 A.D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

TETRICUS I 270-273 A. D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

TETRICUS II 270-273 A. D.

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

CLAUDIUS II 268-270 A. D.

Fine 1.00; V.F. 1.50; X.F.. 2.50

Mars, Jupiter, Pax, V.F. ea.. 1.50

Liberty, Victory, Ex. F., ea. 3.00

QUINTILLUS 270 A. D.

Fine 2.00; V.F. 3.00; X.F... 6.00

AURELIAN 270-275 A.D.

Fine 1.25; V. Fine..... 2.00

TACITUS 275-276 A. D.

Fine 1.50; V. Fine..... 2.50

FLORIANUS 276 A. D.

Fine 3.50

PROBUS 276-282 A. D.

Fine 1.00; V.F. 1.50; X.F.. 2.50

Mars, Laetitia, V. Fine, ea. 2.00

Emperor on horseback, V.F. 3.50

SPECIAL



Collection

DENARII AND ANTONINIANI

Twenty-five (25) completely different rulers, not just types or reverses. All with bust of the Emperor or wife, etc. Individually enveloped and fully classified as to ruler, date, deity or other information on reverse. Condition of these silver coins is FINE-EXT. FINE. Purchased individually, this collection would cost not less than \$45.00. Our advantageous purchase of a European dealer's large stock makes this exceptional offer possible.

Collection - 25 Different
ONLY. . . \$22.75

COMMENT TO COLLECTORS

It is still my opinion that Proof Sets, particularly those prior to 1956, are a sound investment and will advance sharply in price in the not too distant future.

I believe they are being unwisely merchandised at the present time by dealers and speculators, apparently due to their lack of finances, experience, or interest in the other fellow's investment.

However, good business dictates that you must be competitive in price with merchandise of equal quality. Some of the sets being offered very cheaply are not only inferior, but some of them actually are not even Proofs. These we disregard. We have checked all reliable dealers' advertisements and have adjusted our prices so as to compete with all fair and honest competition.

PROOF SETS

DATE	PRICE
1936	\$ 395.00
1937	175.00
1938	65.00
1939	55.00
1940	45.00
1941	35.00
1942 (6 pieces)	33.50
1950	48.50
1951	32.50
1952	20.00
1953	12.50
1954	6.75
1955	6.25
1956	3.75
1957	3.00

In Year Sets

1936 Through 1957

Flawless Brilliant Proofs in holders

The 15 Sets\$895.00

Mounted in 5 gold lettered 6x6
plastic holders\$920.00

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1938 Through 1957

13 Choice Brilliant Sets\$325.00

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1950 Through 1957

8 Choice Brilliant Sets\$122.50

Proofs Wanted

Interested in buying all sets prior to 1957, particularly 1936 to 1953.
Advise date, quantity - - quote price.

COINS IN SETS

JEFFERSON NICKELS

1938 through 1957, complete, all dates and mint marks; 57 Pieces (Cat 41.50)
BR. UNC. a 25% savings.....\$29.75
In Popular Album..... 31.50

ROOSEVELT DIMES

1946 through 1957 complete, all dates and mint marks; 34 Pieces. A real bargain. (Cat. \$27.70).
BRILL. UNC.....\$14.75
In Popular Album..... 15.50

WASHINGTON QUARTERS

1932 through 1957 complete, all dates and mints, in choice BRILL. UNC. condition. (Cat. \$279.55).
In Popular Album.....\$245.00

FRANKLIN HALF DOLLARS

1948 through 1957 complete, all dates and mints; 23 Pieces (Cat.\$54.45).
BRILL. UNC.
In Popular Album.....\$29.95

FESTIVAL OF BRITAIN

1951 CROWN

Head of George VI, lettered edge.
Date 1851-1951 in Roman numerals.
Also commemorates the 400th anniv.
of the first silver Crown. In official Royal Mint box as issued.
BRILL. PROOF\$ 3.50

SETS OF FOREIGN COINS

GREAT BRITAIN

1937 George VI. Coronation Set.
Farthing through Crown, including Maundy Money. 15 Pieces in original leather case.

BRILL. PROOFS.....\$27.50
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1950 Proof set. Farthing through Half Crown. 9 Pieces in mint box.

BRILL. SET\$4.75
In Plastic Holder..... 7.50
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1951 Festival of Britain Set.
Complete Farthing through Crown. 10 Pieces in box.

BRILL. PROOFS\$15.00
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1953 Elizabeth II Coronation Set.
Farthing through Crown, in leather case.

BRILL. PROOFS.....\$9.75
SAME, UNC..... 3.95

SETS OF FOREIGN COINS

NEW ZEALAND

1935 George V. Waitangi Set.
Complete Threepence through Crown. 6 Pieces, all silver, commemorating Treaty of Waitangi. In lettered plastic holder. A very rare set.
BRILL. PROOFS.....\$125.00
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1953 Coronation Set
Halfpenny through Crown, 8 Pieces in leather case. Only 6,000 sets struck.

BRILL. PROOFS.....\$12.75

CARIBBEAN

1955 Elizabeth II Decimal Coinage 1/2, 1, 2, 5 Cents in copper; 10, 25, 50 Cents in silver. 7 Pieces in leather case.

BRILL. PROOFS.....\$13.75

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

1904 Proof Set
Complete 1/2 Centavo through Peso. 7 Pieces in lettered plastic holder.
BRILL. PROOFS\$20.00
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1908 Proof Set, reduced size.
Complete 1/2 Centavo through Peso. 7 Pieces in lettered plastic holder.
BRILL. PROOFS.....\$27.50

VATICAN CITY

Including Gold

1929 Pope Pius XI
Complete set, 5 Centesimi through 10 Lire and Gold 100 Lire. 9 Pieces in original box.

UNCIRCULATED.....\$35.00
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1933-34 Pius XI
Complete set including Gold 100 Lire in official case. 9 Pieces. Very rare.
UNCIRCULATED.....\$60.00
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1950 Pius XII "Holy Year"
Complete set including Gold 100 Lire 5 Pieces in holder. Only year of this type.

UNCIRCULATED\$17.50
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1951-52 Pius XII
Complete set in holder including the Gold 100 Lire. Regular issue, 5 pcs.
UNCIRCULATED.....\$16.50

SOUTH AFRICA

1953 Eliz. II Coronation Set, complete including Gold Half and One Pound.
In plastic holder, BR. PROOF. \$47.50